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You'll catch the charm of the new things if you'll linger for a few minutes in the Curtain Department on our third floor.

Spring and summer Curtains and curtain materials—the assortments this season are better than we've ever had them.

How reasonable the prices are will easily be seen by a comparison with the curtains.

Madras Curtains, in red and green, 65c | Japanese Bamboo Curtains, geometric

Lace Stripe Madras Curtains, all colors,

Snowflake Curtains, red, green and blue, \$1.25 pair.

Barred Muslin Curtains, renaissance edge and insertion, \$1.19 pair.

Net Curtains, cluny edge and insertion,

Linen Scrim Curtains, drawn-work edge and insertion, \$3.75 pair.

patterns, 98c each.

Casement Cloth, all colors and patterns, 12 1.2c yard.

Figured Scrim, 40 inches wide, all colors,

New Cretonnes, dainty colors, and pat-

Figured Japanese Crepes, 29c yard. Washable Couch Covers, fringed all around, \$1.25 each.

Crex Rugs \begin{cases} 24x48 & inches & ...65c & 4x7 & feet & ...\$2.50 & Nothing better for summerfloor covering. Absolutely sanitary, as they're easily cleaned. Exceptionally serviceable. Good patterns.

Short Kimonos, 59c, regular 75c value.

Crepe Kimonos, with a Persian front, shirred yoke, regular kimono sleeve. Lawn Kimonos, with a border of floral designs; fitted back, kimono sleeve.

These Kimonos sell regularly for 75c. Our price for Thursday is 59c.

AGED MINISTER IS GERMAN WANTS TO RESUME DAIRY VICTIM OF FUMES HEAR FROM HOME INQUIRY TO-NIGHT

Sulphur and Is Rendered Unconscious.

Was Asleep When Wagon Struck Five-Year-Old Boy,

Colonel E. Dorsey Cole, of Fredericksburg, was a caller at the Department of Public Instruction yesterday. Colonel Cole came to talk over educational matters in his city, and was with Superintendent Eggication for some time.

SETTLE DAMAGE SUIT IN COURT SINCE 1905

At the request of attorneys the damage suit brought by August Arnde against the Statement of the Court of the Court

Right Food

Is a strong factor of SUCCESS-

Grape-Nuts

Helps one to Win! "There's a Reason"

Rev. Charles H. Boggs Inhales Foreigner in City Jail Is Eager James Bellwood, of Chesterfield, to Know Where He

conviction of the guilty parties, limited to ninety days,
"I wish to assure you I will gladly cooperate with you in any way I can to procure the conviction of those who are guilty
of this helmous offense."

DRIVER FINED

Was Asleep When Wagon Struck FiveYear-Old Boy.

Robert James (colored) was fined \$10 and
costs by Magistrate Thomas P. Latus vesterday morning for running down the nveyear-old son of Joseph G. Baker, of Barton
Ileighās, Tuesday morning, James's fine
was paid by his employer and he was turned
Josse.

According to the evidence produced in
court yesterday the negro was asleep in
the wagon at the time the child was struck
W. Blunt, one of the witnesses, stated that
the boy would have been killed if he had
not stopped the mule at the time that he dot. He and other witnesses stated that
the time of the accident the mule was gnidid. He and other witnesses stated that
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the time of the accident the mule was gnigas lowly, and that he passed over the child
without hurting it. The boy was struck
and knocked some distance by the front
wheel of the wagon.

Colonel Cole a Caller,

Colonel E. Dorsey Cole, of Fredericksburg,
was a caller at the Department of Public

At the request of attorneys the damage suft brought by August Arndt against the Stacy Manufacturing Company for \$10,000 was dismissed in the United States Circuit Court yesterday. Arndt claimed the amount for regression in index Court yesterday. And claimed the amount for personal injuries received while he was employed in the crection of the West-End Gas-Holder. The case has been in the court since 1905. The amount of compre-mise was not stated.

Mrs. Mary Woody and Mrs. May Hendle, he two women recently arrested on a harge of shoplitting, were sentenced to erms in the City Juli in the Police Court cesterday morning Mrs. Woody not sixty lays in all, and Mrs. Hendle go; twenty lays. The latter's sentence was made lighter on account of her physical condi-

Will Be Recalled to Witness

the allegations be true, that Lowenseld in the arrest and conviction of the better at the persons who murdered the Stewarts in the fact that on the better of the country recently and then burned their home is evidenced by the fact that on yesterday he wrote Commonwealths-Attorney E. W. Hubard the following strons elter on the subject, authorizing him to offer 5000 reward in the case:

"At your request and from statement of facts made to me in connection with the murder, robbery and burning of the benefit of the converse and bodies of Thomas S. Stewart and William J. Stewart, which recently occurred.

BALL WAS SANE

The total amount is expressed himself as fully satisfied with the transaction. His answers as the swindled poor people, and in certain cases took facts made to me in connection with the murder, robbery and burning of the bome of the swindled poor people, and in certain cases took facts made to me in connection with the murder, robbery and burning of the bome of the swindled with the transaction. His answers as the connection with the murder, robbery and burning of the bome of the swindled with the transaction. His answers as the swindled poor people, and in certain cases took facts made to me in connection with the murder, robbery and burning of the bome of the summer of 1907, and occurred in the summer of 1907, and as late as the meeting of the Board of the occurred in the summer of 1907, and the summer of 1907 not showed as well as formerly. Sev-eral members of the City Council and large number of dairymen attended the former hearing and will no doubt be present to-night, when the inves-tigation will probably be concluded.

FOURTEEN COMPETE

Examination Being Held for Position of Sergeant on Police Force,

Fourteen men yesterday afternoon took the examination for the sergeantey on the police force recently made vacant by the death of Sergeant Hatton Amos. The papers will be looked over Monday night, when the result will be announced.

The examination took place in the Council chamber. The questions concerned the duties of a sergeant and general knowledge that a police sergeant should have. The style of the paper returned will be counted in the percentage. General stness of the man will also be a factor in the appointment, physical qualifications being counted as much a necessity as the mental test.

Fined for Burning Soft Coal.

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M. B. Florsheim was fined \$5 by the jury in the Hustings Court yesterday on a charge of burning soft coal in a stationary engine, and was fined \$5 more on a charge of establishing the engine without a permit, Senience is being held in absyance, pending the trial of another similar case and to give time for the testing of the ordinance alleged to have been violated. The decision will be reached in the May term of court,

Mr, Dawson Honored,

Building Permit,

Building Inspector Beck yesterday issued a permit to O. H. Funsten to build a department of the city searched frame kitchen in the ear of Siles, searched in the city to-day, and will come here saturday, Judge Mann of the city to-day, and will come here saturday. Judge Mann of the city to-day, and will speak to the city to-day, and will speak to the city to-day, and will speak to the city to-day, and will come here saturday. Siles appeared in the city to-day, and will be assisted in the city search burg when the action by the acting coroner, Dr. Bright.

Emporia Citizens Here, and W. P. Is expected in the city to-day, and will free, all of Emporia, were in the city yes-levely the acting coroner, Dr. Bright.

ACTUALISM, geometric

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BAZAAR AT ARMORY

Will Erect Stone House of Worship Highland Springs.

At a meeting of the building committee of the Highland Springs Mathodist Church held Tuesday night a supervisor was elected and empowered to let the contract for a stone and cement church building. It is stone and cement church building. It is expected that all the preliminary arrangements will be made within the next few days, so that the actual work on the building will be begun in a short while. The members of the committee are as follows: The Rev. Charles W. Ray, chairman; Dr. G. T. Collins, treasurer; Wells Birchard, secretary; W. G. Griffin, W. C. Beadles and R. G. Moore.

Palestine Man Arrested.

Jacob Kzleel, who was born in Palestine, was arrested yesterday on a charge of steal-ing a satchel containing \$175 from Alex, Eaton. Phil Grace (white) was arrested yesterday

Phil Grace (white) was on a charge of breaking into the house of George Donnelly and stealing therefrom a set of carpenter's tools.

Gary Johnson (colored) was arrested on a charge of stealing \$10 from Bettie Lee.

Marriage Licenses,
Marriage licenses issued yesterday were
to Frank H, Harris and Ethel L Akthris,
Charlie Clifton Leidy and Bossy Kirby
Neale: George Pearson Heath and Mary
Louise Vaden; George Wyatt and Cora Carl
Lon; Rober; H. Hart and Rebecca A, Hill,
and Antonio Francione and Mary O, Kessler,

Judge Turpin Sustained. Judge Turpin Sustained.

A verdict for the defendant, the Richmond Traction Company, was returned yesterday in the Law and Equity Court, where suit had been entered by W. L. Robinson for \$125, the amount of damages alleged to be due for injury. The case came up on appeal from the Civil Justice's Court. Judge Turpin's decision was austained by the higher court. higher court.

Commission of Lunsey,
A commission of lunsey will be held before Magistrate Larus this morning over
Harvey Brooks (colored), who was arrested.
Tuesday and placed in the Henrico county
jail, He was found roaming around on Mr.
Miland's place in Brookland District, The
magistrate will be assisted in the commission by the acting coroner, Dr. Bright.

more rapidly."

The matter of assisting this church was several days ago. Last night he returned with some brand-new thoughts on the end of his tongue, but the clerk met him with stern gaze. He meekly departed, exclaiming that the emoluments of genius in these days of commercialism were few and far between.

MAINTAIN BUILDING LINE

more rapidly."

The matter of assisting this church with instructions that it report a plan by which this can be done. Westminster Church sent a request to the presbytery to be allowed to continue for another six months the arrangement it has had for some time with Rev. T. R. English, D. D., of Union Theological Seminary.

The request was granted.

Theological Seminary.
The request was granted.
Percy Pemberton, of this city, and
W. B. Mcliwaine, Jr., of Petersburg.
after the usual examinations, were
taken under care of the Presbytery
as candidates for the ministry. Last Night's Session.

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The night session was devoted to the subject of home missions. Rev. D. K. Wathall, the chairman of the committee having this work in hand, presented the report of what has been done during the year in this presibitery. This committee has alded in the support of twelve pastors, who are supplying churches which could not have regular preaching or pastoral work without this help.

The amount given by the churches during the year for this cause was \$3.117, which is \$300 more than was given during the previous year.

Rev. F. L. Delaney, of Emporia, and Rev. Frank Uherka made interesting addresses on the work of the fields in which they are located. Mr. Uherka's address was especially interesting, as he icold of the large number of Bohemians and Slavs who have come into Prince George county.

This church, of which he is the pastor, is the only Bohemian Presbyterian Church in the South, and it is very much in need of a little help to enable it to put up a church building.

Sunday School Work.

for the night."

"Sure," Said the man behind the counter, ringing for the "bell hopper," who had not been awakened by the sound of the rhythm. Saying good night is ound of the rhythm. Saying good night is werse, the poet retired to the only bed he had rested on within the last six months.

He arose with the birds on the morning after and began to place his thoughts on the walls with a stut bir a pencil just by way of showing that he was what he had represented him, self to be. While thus engaged he was caught by one of the porters, who

HOTEL CLERK'S FAVOR

Like Harper of Days of Chivalry, His Music Takes Him Through Life—Says Emoluments of Genius Are Few in Days of Commercialism.

eems to be the "poet tramp," as he styles himself, who recently "blew" into the city. He rhymes his bed and into the city. He rhymes his bed and board from place to place, though he confesses at times the price of poetry is becoming lower, and that Richmond is a town particularly unappreciative of the good things in literature. He braced a number of people, but they were in the main prosaic, and did not seem to know Pegasus but they were in the main product, and did not seem to know Pegasus from an army mule, so the success of the peripatetic genius was small. Here and there he collected a nickel or so. These small contributions were received with a "God bless you, my boy," and were promptly invested in drinks, with the fond hope that they would coax the muse and render the next attempts at a "touch" more certain or results.

After much tramping to the different likely points of the town, the weary rhymester betook hinself to one of the large hotels. There rather to his surprise he had the luck to encounter an aesthetic night clerk, who, though he had to be shown, was rather more affable than he had any reason to expect.

Suit Entered in Chancery Court to Compel Compilance With Agreement, Mrs. Lelia G. Cayce Hutcheson has brought spit in the Chancery Court against William H Spilling, alleging a violation of an agreed building line, the agreement be-ing carried in a clause of a land sale con-tract.

ing carried in a clause of a land sale contract.

The property in question is located on Grove Avenue near Robinson Street. The bill of complaint alleges that the building extends four or five feet beyond the agreed-upon building line. The plaintiff sake that the defendant be ordered by the court to comply with the terms of the agreement, and, if necessary, that he be enjoined from continuing the construction of the building beyond the agreed line.

The agreement, it is said, was made in order to maintain an open space along the block. The case involves the whole question of whether such agreements as to the character of the building are a valid part of the deed.

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surprise he had to be shown, was rather mo, he had to be shown, was rather mo, affable than he had any reason to expect.

Casually listening to the halting introduction of the poet, for it was late in the night, the man with the white take no tramp reporters; this is a first class house—beat it!

Shrif front yelled: "Naw, we don't take no tramp reporters; this is a first class house—beat it!"

No hopes are hald for the recovery of Joshua B. Smith Fatally Hurt While Cross-last house—beat it!

No hopes are hald for the recovery of Joshua B. Smith, of 107 South First Street, was late in the night, the wash was have yesterday morning while walking across the Scaboard Air Line trestile at St. Paul and St. John Street, He was taken to the Memorial Hospital, where it was said late last night there was no hamself in the poet. The halt had a poet like Milton, Poe and Aifred Ausport like Milton, Poe and Aifred Au